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REQUEST TO WITHDRAW

The undersigned, on behalf of Connolly, Bove, Lodge and Hutz requests pursuant to 37
C.F.R. 10.40 to withdraw from employment in the above application the following persons of
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Basis for this request is pursuant to Section 10.40(c)(1)(vi).

Basis under Section 10.40(c)(1)(vi) exists due to substantial, unpaid bills for legal services rendered previously and which have been owed for an unreasonable period of time.

There is no outstanding response due to any communication received from the Patent Office.

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For the above reasons, an order authorizing withdrawal of Connolly, Bove, Lodge and Hutz and each of the above-indicated individuals from representation in this application is requested. The inventor and client, Dr. Leonard Girsh, has already been notified of the cessation of representation. A copy of this Request is being mailed to him concurrent with its filing with the Patent Office. This request is enclosed in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

Feb. 16, 2001
Date

Christine M. Hansen
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For Connolly, Bove, Lodge and Hutz and
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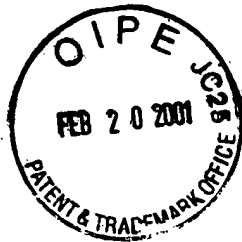
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